Cost of Angul-Sukinda rail line

1480. SHRI B. J. PANDA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the estimated cost of Angul-Sukinda rail line in Orissa;

(b) the amount released for that line so far;

(c) the target set for completion of that line; and

(d) the progress made so far?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL): (a) Rs. 245.58 crore as assessed in 1996-97.

(b) The expenditure incurred on this project is Rs. 50.17 lakhs upto 31-03-2001. An outlay of Rs. 23 crore has been provided during 2001-02.

(c) Not yet fixed.

(d) The final location survey has been completed. Preparatory works like preparation of plans and estimate have been taken up.

Modernisation of Railway Stations in Tamil Nadu

1481. SHRI S. AGNIRAJ: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of works undertaken to improve the facilities and modernising various important Railway Stations in Tamil Nadu during 2000-2001;

(b) what is the status of this modernisation programme;

(c) whether any new projects are under consideration for the year 2001-2002; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL): (a) and (b) Works undertaken and their status to improve and modernise various